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UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT SOUTHERN DISTRICT OF NEW YORK

VARDHMAN SHIPPING PVT LTD.,

Plaintiff,

-against-

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Defendant.

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The Plaintiff, VARDHMAN SHIPPING PVT LTD., by and through its undersigned attorneys Freehill Hogan & Mahar, LLP, and pursuant to Rule 7.1 of the Federal Rules of Civil Procedure (formerly Local General 1.9) and to enable District Judges and Magistrate Judges of the Court to evaluate possible disqualification or recusal, undersigned counsel (a private non-governmental party) certifies that it is not a publicly traded entity and no publicly held company owns 10% or more of its stock.

Dated: New York, New York April 15, 2008

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